

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. In a computer network, a method comprising,  
  
providing a calendar schema, the calendar schema having calendar-related fields  
  
arranged into a content document with defined structures for the fields;  
  
receiving a data access request directed to contact information, the request including  
  
associated identity information; and  
  
in response to the data access request, manipulating at least one set of data in a logical  
  
calendar document that includes data therein according to the associated identity information,  
  
each set of data in the logical calendar document structured to correspond to a field in the  
  
content document.
2. The method of claim 1 wherein manipulating at least one set of data comprises  
  
reading data from at least one field in the logical calendar document.
3. The method of claim 1 wherein manipulating at least one set of data comprises  
  
writing data to at least one field in the logical calendar document.
4. In a computer network, a method comprising,  
  
receiving a request to retrieve calendar data, the request including associated identity  
  
information;  
  
reading from a data store to obtain calendar data based on the associated identity  
  
information;

constructing a calendar document including at least part of the data, the document arranged according to a defined schema for calendar data; and  
returning the document in response to the request.

5. The method of claim 4 wherein the schema includes at least one defined field for extending the schema.